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## The Knock-out Blow.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein. Stomach punches were thrown in to worry and weary the fighter, but if a scientific man had told one of the old fighters that the most vulnerable spot was the region of the stomach, he'd have laughed at him for an ignoramus. Dr. Pierce is bringing home to the public a parallel fact; that the stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we utterly ignore. The stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we utterly ignore. The stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we utterly ignore.

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[COMMUNICATED.]

Y. M. C. A. ROOM.

Now that vacation season is over can we not by ways and means devise some kind of plan where we can raise the money to have a Y. M. C. A. room for our boys, or we may say a rescue room? Now that we are getting more modern, and each day our city properly is advancing and more people are moving here all the time, is it not appalling that we have no such building? We have, like all other cities, places to tempt our boys on every corner, but no place that is open to the boys but the street and unfortunately that generally leads to bad company and its consequences. I am sure if everybody sees the necessity of such a place as mothers do who are about to put their boys out in the world they would try hard for such a place. When we mothers hear our boys are in the Y. M. C. A. rooms we are satisfied all is well; why not take the money that was collected for the playground and turn it into a fund for the Y. M. C. A., for if such a thing is possible that we should have a playground on Shooter's hill, what mothers could care to trust their children so far unprotected. It is true we need a playground for the children are driven from corner to corner to play, always in somebody's way, but I think most mothers will be willing to do away with the playground if the town will just throw out a rescue arm, for the boys when they leave home to battle with the world and its ever growing evils. I hope this may not be in vain but will appeal to someone who will make a liberal donation towards this most worthy cause, to save our young men. — AN INTERESTED MOTHER.

[COMMUNICATED.]

IN DARKEST AFRICA.

For ways that are dark and for tricks that are vain a color game warden in Virginia is peculiar. He realizes that winter is coming on and he will have nothing to do but hunt the hare and the hounds. In line with a well-devised scheme to enrich his own as well as the state's exchequer he, it is said, discarded his mustache and blackened his face and walks as a lame man with a stick, disguised as a negro, seeking whom he may devour. He is trying his utmost to get these fines and costs, the latter appealing to him very strongly. The way it is reported the game warden was discovered in this disguise was by a farmer recently passing through the woods on his way to a railway station. He saw an object he thought was a bear and as it approached the farmer raised his gun and was in the act of firing when he discovered that it was something human. But for this, this game warden would be today in a land where there are no birds—for the feathered tribe cannot exist in so warm a place. B

PUBLIC DRINKING FOUNTAIN.  
The public drinking fountain on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue between 13th and 14th streets, Washington, at which ice-cooled water may be obtained at all hours, was ready to be put into service to-day. This is the second ice water fountain to be established this summer, the other being at 7th street and Pennsylvania avenue. The ice for the fountain on Pennsylvania avenue between 13th and 14th streets, opposite the municipal building, will be furnished by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Private donors, whose names it is withheld at their own request, furnish the ice for the fountain at 7th street and Pennsylvania avenue. No public funds are available for ice.

SOW WINS BATTLE ROYAL.  
A battle royal in which a bird dog, an old sow and a black snake all took part was ended Thursday at the farm of Wash Hitchens, near Lower's Cross Road, Del., when the snake was killed and the dog fled with a badly injured leg while the sow and her young pigs were left in undisputed possession of the orchard where the fight took place. Hitchens was going out to feed the pigs when he noticed a tumbling mass of fighting animals in one end of the orchard. He thought the dog and sow were fighting until he noticed a big black snake whirling around the heads of the other two combatants. Each animal seemed to be fighting the other with extra licks thrown in where they would do the most good. The sow finally killed the snake and the dog crawled under the fence, yelping from pain.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this state, of the following patents: E. B. Deane, Newport News, carbureted air apparatus; J. E. Johnson, Jr., Long Dale, apparatus for separating oxygen from air; J. O. Mitchell, Newport News, and C. Meriwether, Monclair, N. J., apparatus for handling concrete pipe sections; H. W. Partle, Portsmouth, treating molten metal; G. E. Patrick, Salem, train dispatcher's signaling and controlling system; E. S. Peterson, Richmond, reeling device; S. M. Pride and J. D. Davenport, Saunton, ironing table; F. W. Wood, Newport News, time controlled circuit-controlling mechanism; F. W. Wood, Newport News, danger zone signal for turrets.

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